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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
ULRIKE HEES, ET AL. : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION  
SERIAL NO: NEW U.S. PCT APPLICATION :  
(BASED ON PCT/EP04/11253)  
FILED: HEREWITH :  
FOR: FORMULATIONS AND THEIR USE :  
IN THE COLORATION OF  
SUBSTRATES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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SIR:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.